

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

May 11, 2006

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Response Due Date: June 12, 2006

Identification Number: C00401034

Reference:

April Quarterly Report (1/1/06 - 3/31/06)

Dear Mr. Kanaley:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above. An itemization of the information needed follows:

-A review of your itemized receipts indicates a discrepancy in your aggregate election cycle-to-date totals. The reported aggregate totals on your report should include all contributions from an individual or committee given in the election cycle. Please review your procedures for compliance with this requirement and amend your report(s) as necessary. (11 CFR § 104.3(a)(3))

-The election cycle-to-date totals for certain entries on your report indicate additional contributions that should have been itemized. When contributions from an individual reach \$200 for an election cycle, each subsequent contribution from that individual must be itemized, regardless of the amount. Additionally, each contribution from a political committee must be itemized, regardless of the amount. Please amend your report to correct the discrepancies in the aggregate totals for Friends of Tim Kennedy and Bricklayers and Allied Craftworkers Local #3. (2 U.S.C. § 434(b) and 11 CFR § 104.3(a)(4))

Please note you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an